

Leonard Meets Dundee Tonight
For Fifth Time in Newark Bout

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Lightweight Champion to Weigh
n Before Meeting Scotch-Wop

DUNDEE HAS CHANCE TO WIN LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE BY DEFEATING LEONARD

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

Tonight at Newark, N. J., Johnny Dundee tackles Benny Leonard for the fifth time. It will be the first time, however, that the "Scotch Wop" has had a chance at the title. They are to meet at catchweights for an eight-round bout. Under the laws of New Jersey not more than ten pounds difference can exist in their weights, but there is small likelihood of this rule being broken. Dundee is a legitimate lightweight, easily scaling under 133 pounds. Leonard's actual weight is a mystery, but may be known today when Chairman Smith, of the New Jersey boxing commission, watches him climb upon the scale. Ring dopesters believe he will scale around 138 pounds at 3 o'clock, and about 140 pounds when he enters the ring. Dundee will in all probability weigh in at 133, thus making seven pounds difference between them.

It will be possible for Dundee to take the lightweight crown from Leonard. All he has to do is knock him out, that's all, he said, that's all. If Leonard is above the weight, nothing matters so far as the shift of the title, providing Dundee weighs in at the limit of the class. If the "Scotch Wop" puts Leonard away tonight he will be world's champion lightweight.

Leonard and Dundee clashed for the first time in 1915, going ten rounds without decision. They battled three times in 1916, all without decision, twice in New York and once in Philadelphia. According to ring-side critics, however, Leonard had the better of these battles. In one of them each scored a knockdown, but lacked the strength to finish his opponent.

Dundee has been the most consistent challenger of the champion of all the lightweight world. Through his manager, "Scotty" Monteth, he has hurled challenges right and left, but all aimed at Benny Leonard. Dundee has gone out and beaten every opponent suggested, only to come right back with the same lit of challenge for the lightweight title-holder.

Tonight's contest has come as a result of weeks of shilly-shallying about the weights. Dundee wanted Leonard to weigh in at 135 pounds, but the champion refused to make better than 136 pounds. With the promoters waiting to match them, at last Dundee waived all weights, agreeing to meet Leonard at catchweights.

Leonard Has Punch.

As between these two leading lightweights, Leonard has the punch. It is doubtful if Dundee can hit hard enough to upset the champion. Leonard has gained in strength since his service as a boxing instructor in the army and he always had a heavier wallop than did Dundee. It would not surprise the fans if he kayoed Dundee at Newark.

Three years ago Dundee was a whirlwind. He has a peculiar style of battling, being able to leap from one rope to the other and hit while in the air. His terrific speed, coupled with this awkward style of boxing, has won many bouts for him. We saw him put away Johnny O'Leary, the Canadian champion, in nine rounds at Boston in August, 1916, and the blow that turned the trick came over while Dundee had both feet off the floor. It was positively uncanny.

Leonard, though, knows exactly how to battle Dundee. He knows that he will be heavier and stronger, quite as fast, and just as enduring, if not more so. Dundee's blows will hardly have such punishing effects as those of the champion, who hits like a middleweight.

Low Tandler is making cries for a battle with the champion. He may be accommodated later in the season, probably in the summer. Tandler is a southpaw with a fair wallop, but even his greatest admirers in Philadelphia wonder how well he could stand up under Leonard's punishment.

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Georgetown Arranges Game With Navy

Georgetown and the Naval Academy will clash on the gridiron at Annapolis on November 8, 1919, according to advices received today from Annapolis.

As Georgetown battles its ancient rival, Fordham, on Tuesday, November 4, at New York, the Hilltoppers will be rather hard put to oppose such a strong team as Gil Dobie's on the following Saturday. However, at least four elevens are expected to be in uniform at Georgetown next fall and there may be plenty of available material for two such hard contests in one week.

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BELIEVES PERKINS BACKSTOP WONDER

Lee Fohl, manager of the Cleveland Indians, says he thinks one grand young catcher in the American League is being overlooked by critics when making up their lists of Ban's backstop stars.

"That youngster, Cy Perkins of the Macknacks," said Fohl, "looks to me just about the sweetest article of catching talent that has broken into our circuit in years."

"He uses his brain all the time and is always full of pep. He'll measure up easily with Al Walters, traded by the Yankees to the Red Sox."

"This Perkins seems to size up opposing batters as if he had been playing against them for years. He has a great throwing arm and gets the ball down to second as accurately as the best of them. He was one of the real finds of 1918."

BOWLING CONGRESS SEEKS SEVEN HUNDRED TEAMS

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 20.—That there will be more than 700 teams in the nineteenth annual convention of the American Bowling Congress to be held here in March, was the assurance given by A. C. Langtry, secretary, at a meeting held here this afternoon. Langtry reported that 100 teams are coming from Toledo, 200 from Buffalo, 25 from St. Louis and 25 from Detroit. Entries close on February 20, the secretary announced. The tournament will begin on March 8, the first four or five days being given over to local teams.

Robert W. Brown, of New York, president of the American Bowling Congress, was at the meeting and reported the bowling game prosperous in all parts of the country.

PLAN BIG SERIES.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Thomas J. Hickey, president of the American Association, is planning for a world's series second only to that of the majors, with the winners of the International League meeting those of the American Association.

KNODE MAKES GOOD.

"Bobby" Knode, State's captain, is in football next season, is in all-around athlete. He is a first-class baseball player, has an enviable reputation on the gridiron and is playing guard on the basketball team.

JOHNSTON DENIES SOUTHPAWS' JINX

First Baseman Doc Johnston, who received his second chance in the American League with the Indians last summer, claims he can hit southpaw pitching if given the proper opportunity.

In the Southern League, where Johnston made his big reputation before first joining the Cleveland team, he hit left or right-handers with equal ease. But when he came to the American League he discovered the southpaws in the Johnson's organization had a bit more stuff.

He had his troubles getting them safe, and in a short while was taken out whenever a left-hander opposed Cleveland. He was finally turned loose, getting a chance with Pittsburgh and then drifting back to the minors.

Last season in the American Association he was the sensation of the league. All pitchers looked alike to him.

Four American League clubs were bidding for him, when Jim Dunn put over the deal that made him an Indian.

Johnston went great for a while against southpaws, but had a couple of bad slumps, and every now and then was derailed when some left-hander opposed Cleveland.

Johnston contends that if he ever gets a job on a club, that has no other player capable of hitting down first, he will demonstrate he can hit southpaws consistently.

REDS WILL LAND DAUBERT IN DEAL INCLUDING KOPF

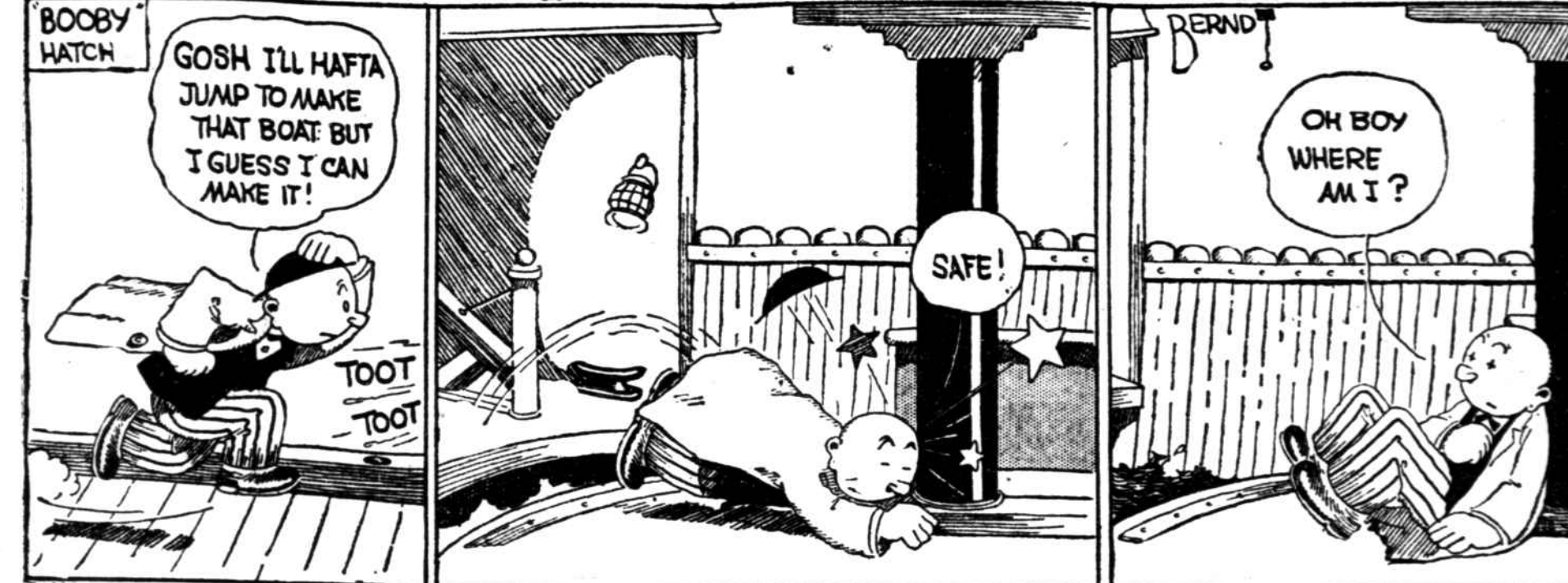
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The table is set for a trade between Brooklyn and Cincinnati. The Robins are to let Jake Daubert go to the Reds in exchange for Lefty Kopf and another player yet to be named. It all hinges on Daubert's suit in court. As soon as he withdraws his legal action, he will be traded.

Clarence Mitchell will be tried at first base by the Robins. He has played there before with fair success when with the Reds.

GIANTS WANT CHASE.

The New York Giants want Hal Chase to play first base next summer and will make every effort to land him. A hearing will be given him within a week or so on charges of gambling in baseball. He is expected to be exonerated and immediately sold by Cincinnati to New York.

Booby Hatch, He's In Again



TWO AND THREE WITH "BUGS" BAER

There will be no limit to big league clubs' payrolls. A player can get all the money he can get if he can get it.

CAN'T TELL WHETHER PROHIBITION IS A SUCCESS OR NOT UNTIL WE LAMP NEXT SEASON'S GOLF SCORES.

About time to shed a nimble tear containing less than 3 per cent alcohol. Hang out a service star for the old barkeep, for Kink Tremens is deadlier than a ham in a smokehouse.

This kink graft seems to be the bunk. First of Ferdinand curled up like an ant on a hot rock. Then the Bullshevik knocked the Car for a row of adobe huts. The Keeser took it on the loop for Holland exactly one jump ahead of a fit and two jumps behind his half-breed son. Now old Kink Brew flopped, which makes it unanimous. Crowns are as empty as picnic grounds on a rainy Tuesday afternoon.

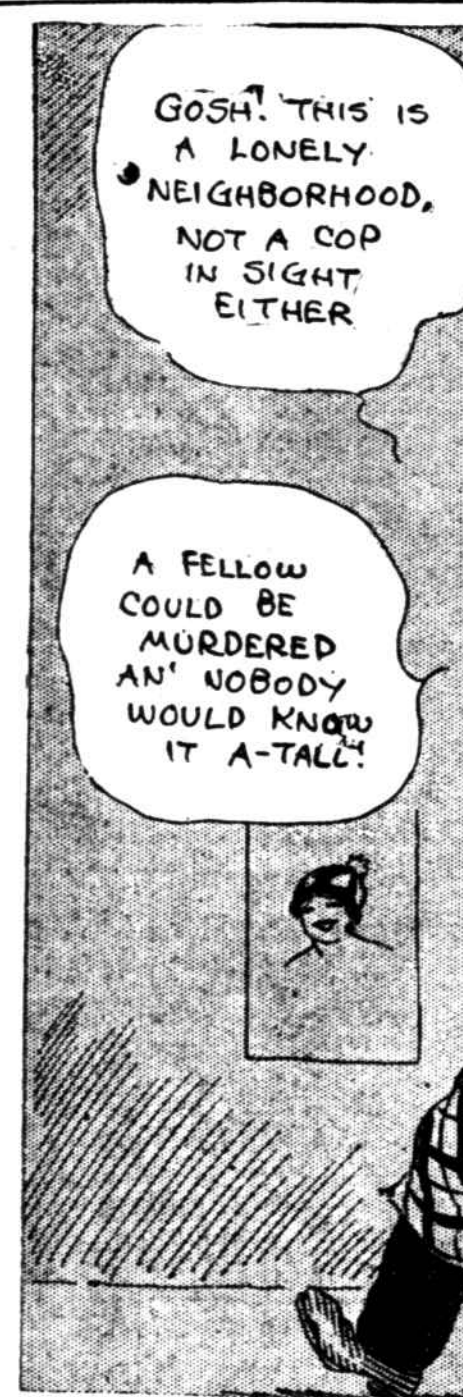
ATHLETIC FANS AREN'T SAYING ANYTHING ABOUT THE SLIPPING OF THE 154-GAME SCHEDULE TO 140. IF A GUY CAN STAND 140 ATROCITIES, HE CAN STAND 140 MORE.

Average man's idea of heaven is a place where a barber's chair is always empty. Beautiful vision, but the only ointment in the fly is that there would never be any barbers in a place like that.

Bill Donovan has ferryboated out of the big leagues into Jersey City. Bill is only a 3-cent piece away from his former glory, but gosh, they don't make 3-cent pieces any more.

Benny and Johnny will shake hands with each other just this evening. Although the world is as peaceful as a glass of Bevo and as happy as a kitten drowning in milk, these two cuckoos will endeavor to hang each other over the ropes like an old madras shirt. You'll have to take the ferry to get there, but it's worth it.

Penny Ante



THE BIG WINNER GOING HOME



By Jean Knott

LENGTH OF FLOOR LIKELY TO CAUSE SPLIT ON GAME

Georgetown and Gallaudet may split on their game of February 5 at Kendall Green on account of the size of the floor. The Hilltoppers want to be assured that the Kendall Green athletes can offer a floor of sufficient length and breadth to allow a first class contest. Georgetown accepted the February 5 date, which will be a big time at Kendall Green on account of the Founder's Day celebration, at the same time John O'Reilly, Georgetown's coach, is somewhat concerned as to the adaptability of the Gallaudet gymnasium for a floor contest.

"We accepted the date of February 5," says O'Reilly, "because we were assured that the gymnasium is big enough for all hands to get around in it. The only thing that prevented our playing at Gallaudet in past years was the small floor there."

All of which but paves the way for the argument as to the regulation floor for basketball games. The rules state that a floor 90 feet in length and 50 feet in width shall be a maximum floor, and 60 feet in length and 35 feet in width shall be a minimum.

Few of the floors here satisfy these conditions, many being too long for their width and others too short, with a width out of proportion to the short length.

Gallaudet's floor comes under the regulations and the Hilltoppers have accepted the contest. Plans have been completed for the Kendall Green contest in connection with the celebration. At the same time something interesting in the way of arguments can be expected.

Unless all signs fall there will be something doing in the scholastic league before the curtain falls. One month of basketball will be crowded in before time is called and baseball started.

Central appears to have come forward so rapidly that Business is seriously threatened. Tech and Central Business and Central, and Tech and Business still have battles to fight out. Western may take a chip off somebody's shoulder before the series is finally settled.

At present Business is leading the league. The standing of the teams follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Business	4	0	1.000
Technical	3	1	.750
Central	2	2	.500
Eastern	1	3	.250
Western	0	4	.000

Tomorrow Business meets Western and Technical engages the Easterners. Both Eastern and Western are capable of giving their opponents enough of a battle to come through counting games are at all close. A defeat for Business would give Central its looked for chance.

Gonzaga is expecting to play the Georgetown Preps soon. There is a lot of rivalry between the schools and Gonzaga, jumped into a 22 to 3 victory in the first meeting. The schools will be brought together later in the month.

Gonzaga has won eight games in a row so far and is leading all of the scholastic quints. Business has suffered two defeats in nine games. Central has won five games and lost four. The Tech lads have won five games and lost three. Some of the other schools appear to have claims to title honors.

A suggestion has been made to hook up the winter scholastic quints in the high school league with the leader among the independents, Georgetown Preps, Gonzaga, St. Albans, Friends and the Y. M. C. A. boys to be considered among the registered teams and the five high schools as the leagues.

Western is out in front in the Freshman Basketball League with three straight wins. The Tech lads will visit Western on Friday while Central will play the Easterners. Tech has lost one game and Central, standing at a tie for second place. The series is causing considerable interest among the yearling who have come out for the teams in droves.

Georgetown appears to have a team which must be kept going to produce. Some teams are able to work the floor easily and count consistently. Not so with the Hilltoppers, who must keep at top speed to score. In recent games Georgetown, with a considerable lead, looked like a bunch of losers when they attempted to take things easy with opponents.

Coach O'Reilly sent in a couple of good ones who speeded up the team and got things moving again. Fees, O'Connell, and Zazelle, with O'Brien and Flavin, work smoothly when they are going at their top speed. There is no question but that the Hilltoppers miss Bobby O'Leone and his "To me, to me," which kept them on the hike.

Exit "Brewers" For Milwaukee Bugs

Patrons of the Milwaukee club of the American Association are conducting a campaign to rename the "Brewers," now that the manufacture of beer, Milwaukee's leading industry, has practically been buried. The team has been called the "Brewers" since joining the Association. The "Badgers" is favored.

YALE WANTS EVERY MAN TO GET A SEAT

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 20.—Prof. Mather Abbott has assumed charge as faculty coach of plans for the Yale rowing campaign, and no talk is heard of the return of Guy Nickalls, the high-priced English coach who had charge of the crews three years ago.

Prof. Abbott today outlined his theory of rowing as keeping as many men on the squad and at rowing as is possible. Instead of starting with a good-sized squad and cutting it down, he plans to constantly increase it in membership and intensity. He asked registration with 163 and expects to have the list increased to several hundred before the close of the season. His maxim is "a seat in a boat for every man who reports."

Aside from Capt. Winter Mead eight veterans have returned to college and registered with the crew squad. They are:

W. Austin, 1919; L. G. Adams, 1920; J. McHenry, 1920; C. D. Munson, 1920; M. W. Borders, 1919; D. Vail, 1919; S. H. Knox, 1920; M. Patterson, 1920.

From the second crew three members—J. C. Campbell, 1919; D. H. de Font, 1920, and A. Meeks, 1920—have registered.

The entire 1921 crew has registered, including R. Carston, captain; B. L. Hemmingsway, P. Benson, G. Rockefeller, D. Driscoll, W. F. C. Ewing, L. Hare, J. S. Moulton, and H. Mall.

NAVY PLAYERS GRAB OFF TEN WINS DURING YEAR

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 20.—The Navy team is likely to go through the season with an unbroken string of victories. Coach Lush has gotten together a strong bunch of players. Two Washington boys from the Army and Navy Preps are making a strong bid for the regular season. Bolton and Watters have taken part in several contests this season.

The Navy will play Georgetown on Wednesday and will meet the University of Virginia team on Saturday afternoon. Both teams are expected to give the Navy tossers a run for their money.

ST. LOUIS GETS BARNES.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—James M. Barnes, last year's open champion of the Western Golf Association and winner of the pro title, has signed with the Sunset Hill club of this city as professional.

MCGOORTY SIGNS UP.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Eddie McGoorty, the American light heavyweight, will meet Sgt. Harry Rolph, of Canada, at the National Sporting Club, February 10.

SHIFT McDONOUGH.

Capt. Tom Tracey, C. U. basketball coach, has been shifted from his center position to forward. The Brooklanders failed to find a forward to take the place of either Donovan or O'Brien.

APPLE IS SUCCESS WITH ATHLETES AT MCKINLEY

Wilbur M. Apple, coach at the McKinley Manual Training School, is beginning his second season with the Tech athletes. He is beginning to produce victories and develop athletes. Tech's stock is on the boom. Apple is directly responsible for the awakening of interest at Tech and the rounding up of numbers of boys in football, basketball, track, and swimming.

It is doubtful if any other athletic coach in the country has as difficult a job as the Tech man who admits he has excellent material. Apple is at a loss to know where to develop his athletes, as he has no gymnasium, no track, no swimming pool, and no playing field. According to all accounts he is being ranked with the eighth wonder of the world.

Apple Lands There.

Up to the time Apple took charge at Tech the Manual Trainers had many different coaches. Several years ago Jakey Roberts started basketball, and finally got faculty permission to have a team represent the school. In track another student, Monroe Sheen, took charge and developed a first-class team.

Just a year ago Wilbur M. Apple blew in from the West and took charge of Tech's athletic training and physical development. He was confronted with a number of boys, nearly 300, who were more than anxious to get into the various lines of athletic activities.

But Tech had no field, no pool, no gymnasium—nothing but boys and Apple—so the new coach started things going. At the outset he decided to get the youngsters interested in athletics. The fourth-year boys were given every opportunity to make good, but Apple began to take stock of the younger kids and encouraged them in every way.

Results Soon Show.

Last winter Tech put out a first-class basketball team, although the boys practiced at Epiphany gym and on the "Y" floor. The second team was given games and the first and second year kids were offered a chance to play.

Tech's track team took a sudden boom, and Apple succeeded in putting out by spring one of the best all-around teams ever developed here. The Manual Trainers came through to a win in the high school meet and won their feature relay race at Philadelphia.

The basketball team, composed of second and third year players, won second in the title race. The freshmen came through for second place in a title win yet.

War Stopped Game.

Tech would have had a first-class football team last fall had it not been for the war. Greulich, Rosley, and Moore went out to Maryland State and speedily made good. Bosley, who had another year at Tech, was the star of the State team and was picked for all-State honors.

The war took these lads away from Tech and stopped the annual football struggles in the high schools. With the start of the campaign Tech's basketball team took the measure of Eastern, Western and Central, and lost by a single point in the Business game recently.

The second team is a strong combination, while the freshmen are leading that section of the floor campaign. Swimming has started up at Tech, with the use of the "Y" pool, and Tech's tankers are expected to begin a real campaign for the meets this year.

Swear By Apple.

Tech's boys swear by Coach Apple. He has made a big hit at the school and has begun not only to produce winning teams, but is getting Tech's boys busy for physical training and development.

If Tech had a first-class athletic plant there is no telling just how far the Manual Trainers would go. Apple declares he is getting along with what he has, but it isn't much when so many boys could take part in athletics with a modern plant.

The Manual Trainers are expecting to do great things in baseball and track this spring. Basketball has been unusually successful so far. The team has been well supported, and has a chance to come through for a title win yet.

TEN YEARS AGO IN SPORTS

Sixty championships were won by members of the New York Athletic Club in various contests during the year 1909.

Harvard and Princeton were expected to meet in football in 1909. The annual runner was more persistent than ever when it was said that the Crimson would drop the Indians from their schedule.

Pat Nelson came right out and told James J. Jeffries that it would be a crime for him to re-enter the ring. Nelson was the first to advise the former title holder that he could not come back.

Hillman, Gissing, Porter, Bacon and Mulligan said they would appear here to run in the George Washington indoor meet.

CLOSE GAMES PLAYED IN SCHOOL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

There have been many close games in this season's High School League schedule. Business defeated Western by 14 to 13 and hung a 17-to-16 defeat on Tech. The Stenographers are ahead of the circuit by two points.

Tech got in ahead of Central by a 15-to-14 score while Business reported on Central by 15 to 10. Tech handed Western a 24-to-20 defeat. Practically all of the games have been decided in the last few minutes of play.

KEEPS SAME FIVE.

George Washington has practically the same basketball team that took the floor last season. White, Witt, Lamsche and Underwood of last year's team and Hodgkins are out. Sutliff is a newcomer at forward.

WILL PLAY POLY.

Central High School, after winning four straight last week, will attack up against the Baltimore Polytechnic Institute team tomorrow. Poly recently defeated Tech by a 24 to 20 score.

STANTON COMES BACK.

Forrest Q. Stanton, one of the great athletes ever developed at the University of Virginia, recently paid Charlottesville a visit. Stanton was a first-class football, baseball, basketball, and track star.

MORROW WILL COACH

WASHINGTON, Pa., Jan. 20.—David C. Morrow will coach the W. and J. eleven next fall if he can find time from his duties as city engineer here.